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NEVADA APEX ACCELERATOR



HELPING NEVADA BUSINESSES COMPETE FOR GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS

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USEFUL WEBSITE LINKS

(Note: This list is not all-inclusive. If any link does not launch after clicking on it, cut and paste the link into your Internet browser.)

Website: goed.nv.gov/programs/nevada-apex-accelerator

Local Government Level - Nevada

- ***Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 332 procurement laws -*** https://www.leg.state.nv.us/nrs/NRS-332.html
- ***Nevada Government eMarketplace (NGEM) contracting opportunities -*** https://www.ngemnv.com/

  *For local government-related websites outside of Nevada, one would need to perform separate website searches

State Government Level - Nevada

- ***Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 333 procurement laws -*** https://www.leg.state.nv.us/nrs/NRS-333.html
- ***NEVADAePro contracting opportunities -*** https://nevadaepro.com/bso/

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- ***Emerging Small Business (ESB) Certification Program*** - https://goed.nv.gov/programs/emerging-small-business-esb/

Federal Government Level

- ***Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Science federal research programs and national laboratory oversight*** - https://science.osti.gov/
- ***Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Science and Technology Directorate homeland security research and Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) programs*** - https://www.dhs.gov/science-and-technology
- ***Department of Transportation (DOT) Volpe National Transportation Systems Center transportation research and SBIR support*** - https://www.volpe.dot.gov/
- ***Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) SBIR Program environmental technology research and innovation*** - https://www.epa.gov/sbir/about-epas-sbir-program
- ***Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) procurement laws*** - https://www.acquisition.gov/browse/index/far
- ***Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) supplement procurement laws by federal government agency*** - https://www.acquisition.gov/content/regulations
- ***Federal Agency Recurring Procurement Forecasts*** - https://www.acquisition.gov/procurement-forecasts
- ***Federal Laboratory Consortium (FLC)*** - https://federallabs.org/
- ***General Services Administration (GSA) website*** - https://www.gsa.gov/
- ***National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) standards development, measurement science, and SBIR participation*** - https://www.nist.gov/
- ***National Institutes of Health (NIH) SEED Office biomedical SBIR/STTR and commercialization support*** - https://seed.nih.gov/
- ***National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Technology Partnerships Office research partnerships and SBIR programs*** - https://techpartnerships.noaa.gov/
- ***National Science Foundation (NSF) SEED Fund early-stage deep-technology research and commercialization*** - https://seedfund.nsf.gov/
- ***Small Business Administration (SBA)*** - https://www.sba.gov/
- ***Small Business Administration (SBA) Mentor-Protégé Program*** - https://www.sba.gov/certifications/contracting-assistance-programs/#mentor
- ***Small Business Administration (SBA) website showing a variety of subcontracting opportunities*** - https://www.sba.gov/federal-contracting/contracting-guide/prime-subcontracting/subcontracting-opportunities
- ***Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) provide technical and financial assistance for applicants: Federal and State Technology (FAST) Program*** - https://www.sbir.gov/community/fast
- ***Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) contracting and other business opportunities*** - https://www.sbir.gov/about
- ***Small Business Search (SBS) is SBA's database populated on the System for Award Management (SAM) inputs (formerly Dynamic Small Business Search (DSBS)*** - https://search.certifications.sba.gov/
- ***Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) contracting and other business opportunities*** - https://www.sbir.gov/about
- ***System for Award Management (SAM) for federal contract opportunities (over $25,000)*** - https://sam.gov/
- ***USAspending.gov searchable database*** - https://www.usaspending.gov/#/

- ***USA Innovation – Federal challenges and prize competitions program opportunities -*** https://www.usa.gov/innovation

Federal Defense & National Security Innovation

- ***AFWERX (innovation arm of the United States Air Force) small business innovation programs, challenges, and non-traditional technology transition pathways -*** https://afwerx.com/
- ***Army Applications Laboratory (AAL) -*** https://aal.mil/
- ***Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) is an independent federal Research & Development (R&D) agency that operates directly under the Department of War (DOW) transformational change-related business opportunities*** - https://www.darpa.mil/work-with-us/opportunities?ppl=viewall
- ***Defense Counterintelligence and Security Agency (DCSA) -*** https://www.dcsa.mil/
- ***Defense Industrial Base Consortium (DIBC) -*** https://www.dibconsortium.org/
- ***Defense Innovation Unit (DIU) business opportunities*** - https://www.diu.mil/work-with-us/open-solicitations
- ***Defense Innovation Unit (DIU) DOW organization accelerating adoption of commercial technologies through rapid prototyping and transition -*** https://www.diu.mil/
- ***Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Broad Agency Announcement (BAA)*** - https://www.dla.mil/Strategic-Materials/Business/Broad-Agency-Announcement/
- ***Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Internet Bid Board System (DIBBS) business opportunities*** - https://www.dibbs.bsm.dla.mil/
- ***Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Joint Certification Program (JCP) – website and how to register -*** https://www.dla.mil/Logistics-Operations/Services/JCP/
- ***Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Vendor Information Hub*** - https://www.dla.mil/Vendor-Information-Hub/
- ***DEFENSEWERX (DOW innovation organization) network facilitating innovation challenges, experimentation, and technology transition for defense stakeholders -*** https://defensewerx.org/
- ***DOW Chief Information Officer -*** https://dowcio.war.gov/
- ***DOW Manufacturing Technology Program (ManTech) defense manufacturing research program strengthening the industrial base and advanced production capabilities -*** https://www.dodmantech.mil/
- ***DOW Mentor-Protégé Program -*** https://business.defense.gov/MPP/)/
- ***DOW Office of Industrial Base Growth -*** https://business.defense.gov/
- ***DOW's The Small Business Playbook*** - https://goed.nv.gov/wp-content/uploads/2026/08/Best-Of-Small-Business-Resources_revised-03.17.26.pdf
- ***ERDCWERX (U.S. Army Engineer R&D Center innovation partner) collaboration platform supporting defense-focused innovation, experimentation, and technology transition -*** https://www.erdcwerx.org/
- ***International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR) – How to comply*** - https://www.pmddtc.state.gov/ddtc_public?id=ddtc_kb_article_page&sys_id=4f06583fdb78d300d0a370131f961913
- ***LYNX Portal is DOW's supplier readiness & engagement platform for DOW and other federal government agencies*** - https://www.lynxconnect.io/
- ***NAVALX (United States Navy innovation and technology transfer organization) Navy-wide ecosystem supporting industry engagement, prototyping, and technology transition -*** https://navalx.nre.navy.mil/s/
- ***Office of the Under Secretary of War for Research and Engineering (USD(R&E)) DOW authority overseeing research, engineering, and critical technology areas -*** https://www.cto.mil/
- ***PROJECT SPECTRUM -*** https://www.projectspectrum.io/#/
- ***SPACEWERX (United States Space Force innovation organization) commercial technology engagement, challenges, and transition pathways for space-related capabilities -*** https://spacewerx.us/
- ***TRADEWINDS SOLUTIONS MARKETPLACE DOW's post-competition, readily awardable, technology solution pitch videos -*** https://www.tradewindai.com/tw-marketplace

- ***United States Army Transformation and Training Command (T2COM) responsible for modernization priorities and future capability development -*** https://www.army.mil/t2com

Federal Civilian Space & Aerospace Innovation

- ***National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) Space Technology Mission Directorate (STMD) space technology research, development, and Small Business Innovation Research / Small Business Technology Transfer (SBIR/STTR) programs -*** https://www.nasa.gov/space-technology-mission-directorate/

Technology Transfer, Commercialization & Regional Innovation Support

- ***Department of the Air Force Technology Transfer Program (DAF T3) Air Force intellectual property licensing, Cooperative Research and Development Agreements (CRADAs), and technology transition support -*** https://www.aft3.af.mil/
- ***Economic Development Administration (EDA) Regional Technology and Innovation Hubs Program place-based federal innovation, commercialization, and regional technology ecosystem development -*** https://www.eda.gov/funding/programs/regional-technology-and-innovation-hubs
- ***University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV) SAGE South state-supported innovation and commercialization ecosystem supporting federal research participation, SBIR and STTR readiness, and technology transition -*** https://www.unlv.edu/econdev/sage-south
- ***University of Nevada, Reno (UNR) SAGE North state-supported innovation and commercialization ecosystem supporting federal research participation, SBIR and STTR readiness, and technology transition -*** https://www.unr.edu/sage
- ***University of Nevada, Reno Office of Enterprise and Commercialization university-based technology transfer, industry partnerships, and applied research commercialization support -*** https://www.unr.edu/enterprise

Other

- ***National APEX Accelerator Alliance or NAPEX website -*** https://www.napex.us/

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